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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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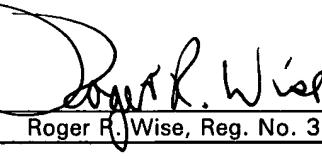
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Dear Sir:

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application, Filing Date Granted," dated June 28, 2004, response to which is due August 28, 2004, enclosed are the following:

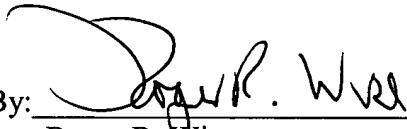
- A copy of the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted".
- A "Declaration and Power of Attorney" executed by the inventor(s).
- An "Assignment" document executed by the inventor(s), along with an Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet and a check in the amount of \$40.00.
- A check in the amount of \$130.00 to cover the surcharge for late Declaration.
- A Preliminary Amendment.

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Respectfully submitted,

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